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Subject: Support for Airport Expansion

I just want to express my honest opinion about airport expansion and the misunderstanding that some of the long beach population may have about it.

Some residents are of the opinion that airport expansion will somehow either modify or destroy the current terminal as we know it.

The message that the terminal is an historical landmark and will not change in any way or be effected by the expansion plan needs to be conveyed so that support for this project can go on without apprehension or resentment.

I currently work at the airport and know the frustration as well as the obstacles the passengers and airlines both have to deal with on a day in and day out basis.

More clear well defined information regarding the preservation of the terminal and the opportunities that expansion (inclusive of convenience with expansion), needs to be conveyed to the general public here in Long Beach.

I hope this message manages to reach others in hope that everyone effected will feel better about the Long Beach Airport and the benefits it offers.

I, like so many others definitely do not want to see anything happen to the current terminal and the place it has made for itself in history.

I live near the airport, visit the adjacent parking lots on occasions to watch the airplanes come in and out and feel that expansion would be a positive and financially rewarding project for the city and its' population to enjoy in years to come.

Respectfully,  
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